

# 6 CRASHES OVER WEEK-END

## Flood Laps at the 'Sideboards' of Cairo's Levee

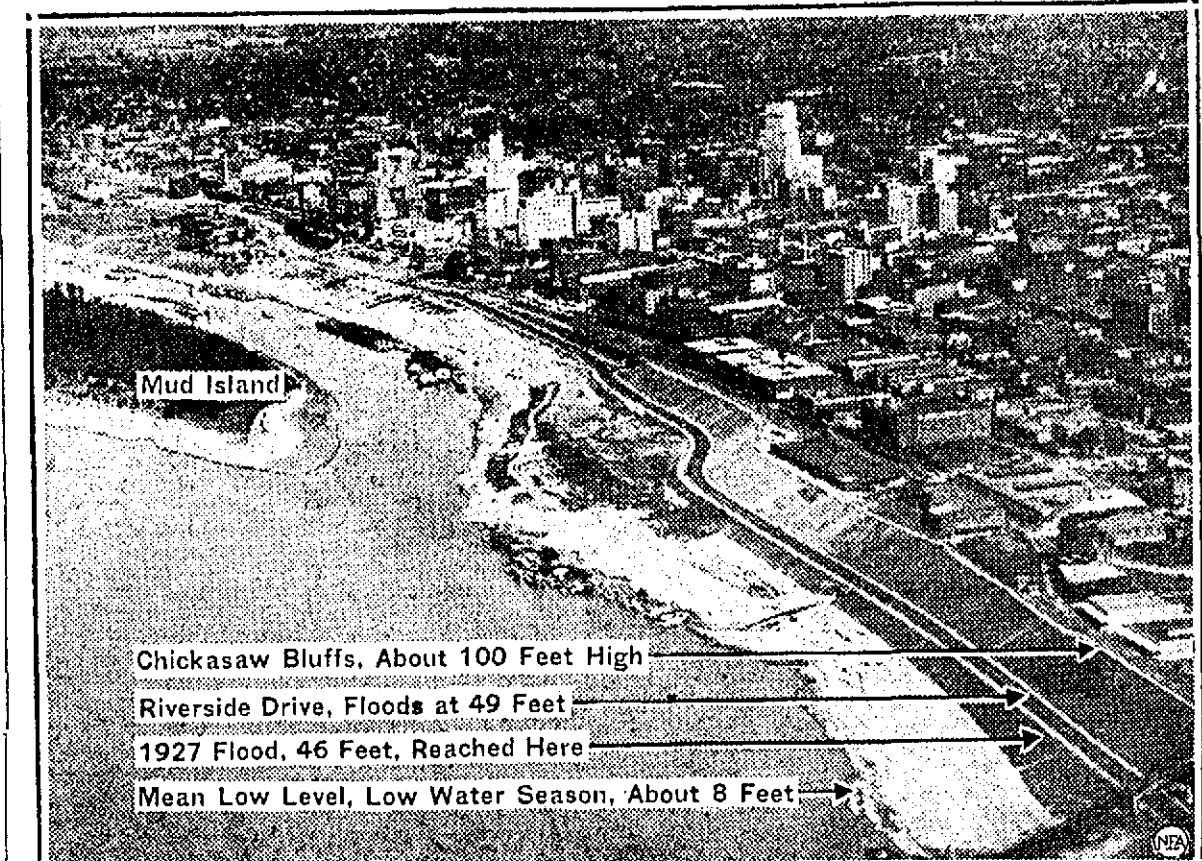
### Water, Over Top of Main Wall, Is on Last Barricade

Single Road Out Remains for 4,500 Levee Workmen If They Fail

### ALL-TIME RECORD Flood Bearing Down on Memphis, Where 48.8 Is New High Mark

By the Associated Press  
Creeping yellow waters sloshed over the walls of Cairo, Ill., prime danger spot in the 1,200-mile battle against the river, as the flood-girt city's army of defenders, 4,500 strong, awaited the zero hour Monday behind barricades 18 inches thick.  
Lashed by wind and a swift current around the river's bend, the waves broke over the lower ramparts of the 60-foot concrete sea-wall and drummed ominously against the frail three-foot superstructure crowning the main barrier.  
All women and children were ordered to leave the city at once.  
A single exit, at the north end of the city, was left open to the 4,500 defenders, the event flight becomes necessary.  
A major crevasse in the Ohio side wall it was said, would transform the still-dry city into a watery graveyard 20 feet deep within a few minutes.

### High Memphis Safe as Flood Enters Mississippi at Cairo



**SOUTHWARD!**  
As this is written, Monday afternoon, the full power of the flood on the Ohio river is entering the Mississippi at Cairo, where a classic struggle is being waged by 4,500 men to save the city from deluge. Here is a picture of Memphis, and a map showing the levee system from Cairo, where the greatest flood in history is now entering the Mississippi river, down past Memphis to New Orleans and the Gulf of Mexico.  
TOP—This airview makes clear why Memphis, though situated on the banks of the Mississippi river, was chosen by the Red Cross as a haven for the encampment of 50,000 refugees from flood swept or imperiled lowlands in Tennessee, Arkansas and Mississippi. The city's principal business and residential sections sit on a high bluff above the river, safe from flood danger, though a further rise in the river was expected to inundate the lowlying waterfront fringe, including Riverside Drive. The main business section, opposite Mud Island, at the left, enjoys practically the same elevation observable above the drive at the right.  
BOTTOM—As the mud-cap Mississippi rolled southward, swollen by the burden of the Ohio waters it carried, army engineers made ready to evacuate hundreds of thousands should the billion-dollar levee system shown on this map fail to hold back flood waters. Engineers said the flood was pouring into the Mississippi channel 5,000,000 cubic feet of water per second against levees which were built to handle only 2,400,000 cubic feet. Particularly threatened were the main line levees below Cairo, Ill., and the Memphis district.

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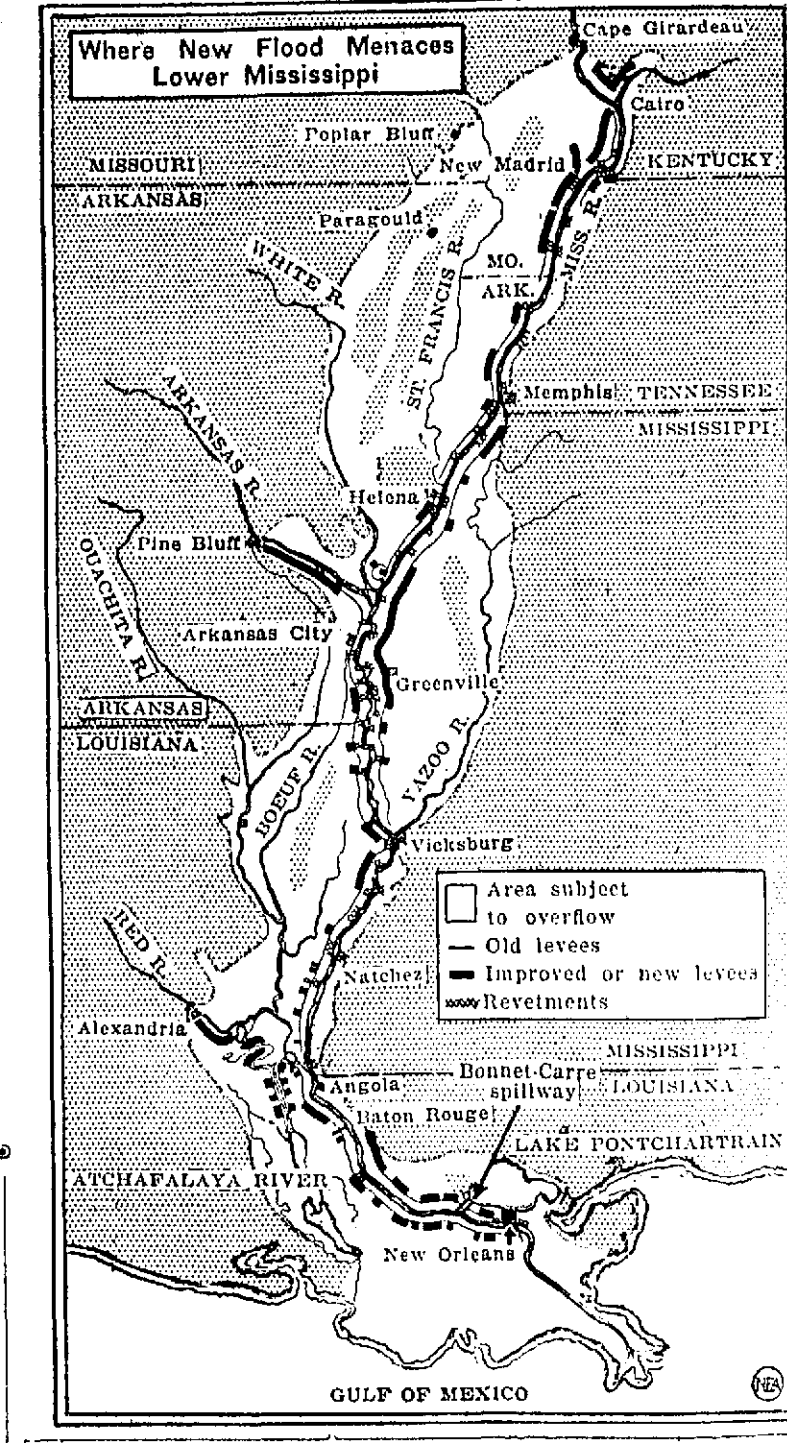
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### Social Security Suit Thrown Out

**U. S. Supreme Court Refuses to Consider Appeal From Massachusetts**  
WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The United States Supreme Court refused Monday to pass on litigation challenging the constitutionality of the federal Social Security Act and the Massachusetts unemployment insurance law.  
The litigation, brought by Howes Brothers company of Boston, had been dismissed by the Massachusetts supreme judicial court in Suffolk county. That court ruled that the federal law did not violate the constitutional rights of the petitioners.  
Howes Brothers contended that the state law was ineffective because the federal statute, which it supplements, was unconstitutional. The federal supreme court Monday held invalid a Washington state law imposing a fee on railroads and other public utilities to be used in defraying the expenses of regulating them.  
North Carolina leads all other states of the Union in value of garden vegetables grown for home consumption.

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### Homesteads Nearly Entirely Exempt

**Only 8% of Them Are Assessed More Than \$1,000 in Arkansas**  
LITTLE ROCK.—Only 8 per cent of 160,796 homesteads covered by the homestead valuation survey now being made by the State Department of Education are assessed at more than \$1,000, a progress report over the week-end showed.  
The report indicated that homesteads studied to date with a valuation up to \$1,000 represents 15.79 per cent of the total assessed valuation in the territory.  
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### School Library to Sponsor Benefit

**To Get Part of Proceeds at Saenger Theater Wednesday Night**  
The Hope High School Library club will sponsor the picture, "Charlie Chalm at the Opera," coming to the Saenger theater Wednesday night. Committees of the club will sell tickets in the downtown area Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Part of the proceeds from the sale of tickets will go to the library fund for the purchase of new reading material.  
Tadpoles are vegetarians, but become carnivorous when grown.

### Hempstead Flood Relief Donation Reaches \$1,428.65

Second Report Received From Fulton—Donation Made by Patmos

### CLOTHING DELAYED Appeal for Apparel to Be Announced After Drive for Cash Gifts

Week-end donations to the emergency flood relief fund brought the total to \$1,428.65, D. B. Thompson, chairman of the Hempstead County Red Cross chapter, announced Monday.  
The donations included a second report from Fulton, and one from Patmos.  
Mr. Thompson announced that several persons wished to donate clothing and food supplies, but said that appeals for donated supplies would be delayed until it is apparent that the fund campaign is practically completed.  
Mr. Thompson said that when he received shipping instructions he would then appeal for clothing.  
List of Donors  
Previously reported \$1,298.05  
Henry Watkins 1.00  
Dick Watkins 1.00  
N. U. Cassidy 2.00  
Hope Rotary Club 10.00  
J. H. Montford 2.00  
Mrs. W. O. Washburn 25.00  
(Wilkes-Barre, Pa.)  
Mrs. Arthur Swanke 2.00  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas 2.00  
Floyd Porterfield 2.00  
J. I. Jones 1.00  
Cash 5.00  
Charley Brooks 1.00  
Patmos Report  
L. D. Rider 1.00  
W. T. Martin 1.00  
C. P. Jones 1.00  
Mrs. B. L. Payne 1.00  
T. M. Ward 1.00  
John Rogers 1.00  
W. S. Gordon 1.00  
Billie Huckabee 1.00  
Second Fulton Report  
J. C. Orton 1.00  
M. A. Hood, negro 1.00  
Ina Logan 1.00  
Ruel O'Dell 1.00  
Fulton Public School 7.00  
Mrs. Jim Johnson 1.00  
Dr. J. M. Mitchell, negro 1.00  
H. L. Hunt 1.00  
Other Donations  
D. M. Collier and family 2.00  
Mrs. C. J. Wizenberger 1.00  
H. F. Stophus 1.00  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rodgers 1.00  
W. E. Cox & Sons (Fulton) 10.00  
Rev. J. S. Briggs, negro 1.00  
Rev. V. Moore, negro 1.00  
Max Cox 1.00  
Men's Bible Class 1.00  
First Presbyterian church 10.00  
Eugene Hall 1.00  
Althean Class 1st Baptist church 1.00  
Miss Mable Ethridge 1.00  
Alex Purdie 1.00  
Mrs. Forrest Cox 1.00  
Dewey Hendrix 1.00  
Frank Newberry 1.00  
W. A. Turner (Spring Hill) 1.00  
Mrs. Webb (McCaskey) 1.00  
Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Daniels 1.00  
LeRoy Spates 1.00  
A. B. Cox 1.00  
T. A. Cornelius 1.00  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powell 2.00  
(Spring Hill)  
W. F. Lafferty (Spring Hill) 1.00  
Will Bowden (Spring Hill) 1.00  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harfield 2.00  
Woodmen Circle No. 196 10.00  
Total \$1,428.65

### Bound Over Here on Forgery Count

**Abe Silverberg Held to Grand Jury in Municipal Court Case**  
Abe Silverberg waived preliminary examination on a forgery charge in municipal court Monday morning and was ordered held for action of the Hempstead county grand jury. Bond was set at \$300.  
Silverberg was arraigned on a charge of forging the name of E. Henderson to a \$15 check drawn on First National Bank of Danvers.  
E. E. Partain of Miami, Okla., pleaded guilty to drunkenness, reckless driving and driving a car while drunk, and was assessed a combined fine of \$135. The fine for drunkenness was \$10, which was suspended.  
Charges against Partain resulted from an automobile crash on the Hope-Fulton road Saturday night. Partain's car crashed into one driven by Hugh Smith of Hope.  
Roosevelt Prater was fined \$25 and sentenced to 10 days in jail for theft of an automobile casing owned by Henry Smith.  
Roy Hunt, Ermon Lee and Ira Godwin pleaded guilty to drunkenness and each defendant was fined \$10.  
D. B. McCaskill forfeited \$15 cash bond on a drunkenness charge.  
Albert Jones and Herbert Whitten were fined \$25 each on charges of fighting each other.  
Jake Stuart forfeited \$10 on a drunkenness charge.  
Several cases were continued, including a charge of reckless driving against Jett Williams, Jr., which has been re-set for February 15.

### Rehearsals Begin for Kiwanis Show

**"Pirate Gold" to Be Staged at Hope City Hall February 11-12**  
Rehearsals will begin this week for the minstrel-revue, "Pirate Gold," which will be staged by the Hope Kiwanis club at the Hope city hall auditorium February 11 and 12, for the benefit of underprivileged children.  
Local amateur singers, dancers, comedians and dramatic players will take part in the show.  
The cast is still incomplete, but with the arrival of the director, parts will be assigned and he cast completed this week.  
A meeting of the entire Kiwanis club has been called by the president, R. V. Herndon, for Monday night at the city hall auditorium. Arrangements for staging the show will be completed.

### Turned Brown By Brown Turner

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—(AP)—Haven't had any cold weather in this section in so long they say Florida is getting jealous and the coal dealers believe the Supreme Court has had something to do with it; the ice-man and mechanical refrigerator salesman are so busy making faces at each other they can't take care of the business, and there are so many tourists floating about they become confused and are asking one another questions about the country.  
Take any road you want to, there are still plenty of hitchhikers willing to go your direction. Some have been waiting so long they have warts on their thumbs.

### Thirteen Executed

MOSCOW, Russia.—(AP)—Thirteen convicted Trotskyists, condemned to die for treason and sabotage, were executed by a Soviet firing squad, the Tass official Russian news agency announced Monday night (Russian time).

### Prize Contest Ends Wednesday

All letters in the KING PAUL CONTEST for \$10 in cash prizes offered by Hope Star must be in the newspaper office by Wednesday night, February 3.

The serial story ended last Wednesday—and the contest list will be closed this Wednesday.  
MAIL YOUR LETTER NOT LATER THAN TUESDAY—ALL ENTRIES MUST BE IN THE STAR OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY.  
You read the serial "King Without a Country." Where did King Paul finally go? For the three best letters The Star will pay \$5, \$3 and \$2. Check the following coupon, write your letter briefly, and mail or bring both of them to Hope Star office immediately:

King Paul Contest Editor:  
Hope Star, Hope, Ark.

I have read King Without a Country and I think King Paul took the course checked here.

☐ King Paul returned to Ardath.

☐ He sailed to Guatemala.

☐ He sailed to Maine to start a shipping fleet.

☐ King Paul bought a ranch.

☐ He sailed off, never to be seen again.

I think King Paul charted his course for.....

My reason is (and write your letter from here on).....

Name.....

Address.....

### House Refuses to Speed Bailey Bills

**Effort to Obtain Preferred Status for Administration Is Beaten**  
LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The house rejected Monday in a loud chorus "nos" efforts of administration leaders to obtain preferred status for bills sponsored by Governor Bailey.  
In a voice vote the representatives voted down a resolution by Chrisp of Pulaski which sought to make administration bills subject to call.  
Thompson of Independence and Blount of White led the opposition. They said it would constitute "gag rule."  
The house approved a bill by Abington of White to earmark for old-age pensions the moneys from the sales tax which went to the general revenue fund under the 1935 act.  
Abington said the 1935 legislators appropriated 35 per cent of the sales tax revenues to the general revenue fund erroneously and his measure was to correct that error.  
There were no dissenting votes.  
The house refused to suspend the rules to make the Vesey prohibition bill a special order of business for Wednesday morning. This action indicated an indefinite delay in calling up the measure which proposes to repeal the 1935 liquor legalization statute.

### Western Auto Is Bought by Riddle

**Shreveport Man Buys Out Local Associate Store of C. T. Thompson**  
Joe T. Riddle has purchased the Western Auto Supply Store from C. T. Thompson, it was announced Monday. Mr. Riddle is formerly of Shreveport and plans to move his family to Hope. Mr. Riddle said that he plans to open a time-payment plan on accessories and will carry twice the stock of the store now.

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### Cotton

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Spot cotton closed quiet six points down, middling 13.34.  
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### Foggy Highways, Unlighted Wagon, 1 'Drunk,' Causes

**Oklahoma Salesman Hits Hugh Smith and Is Fined Total of \$135**

### NEGRO WAGON HIT

**Joe Strong, Texarkana, Crashes Into Wagon Which Has No Lights**

Heavy fog, an unlighted wagon, and one case of drunken driving, contributed to half a dozen automobile accidents Saturday and Sunday nights on the Hope-Fulton and Hope-Lewisville highways.  
Three negroes were injured, one seriously, and four automobiles were badly damaged in the series of accidents.  
Probably the most serious accident occurred about midnight Sunday when the automobile in which Lula Atkins, negro woman, was riding turned over near Lewisville.  
She was brought to Josephine hospital with a fractured skull and gashes about the face and head that required physicians two hours to close.  
The negro's tongue was almost severed, her teeth knocked out, nose badly cut, and she sustained deep gashes about the head. Her condition was serious Monday, but physicians believed that she would survive.  
Others riding in the car escaped. The automobile plunged off the road and turned over when the lights suddenly went out. The negro woman lives near Lewisville.  
Oklahoma Fined  
E. E. Partain, paint salesman of Miami, Okla., was fined \$133 in municipal court Monday as the result of one of five accidents on the Hope-Fulton road Saturday night.  
Partain was fined \$100 for driving while drunk, \$25 for reckless driving and \$10 for being drunk. The \$10 fine was suspended by Municipal Judge W. K. Lemley.  
Partain's automobile, enroute toward Texarkana, crashed into a car driven by Hugh Smith of Hope. No one was hurt, but both cars were badly damaged.  
Deputy Sheriff Reginald Bearden made the investigation and arrested Partain. The accident occurred about 8 o'clock, 10 miles west of Hope.  
Henry Wilson and Jim Turner, negroes, were injured about an hour earlier when an automobile driven by Joe Strong of Texarkana, crashed into a wagon in which the negroes were riding.  
The Wilson negro sustained a broken leg and bruises. The Turner negro sustained minor injuries. Both were brought to Josephine hospital. Deputy Sheriff Reginald Bearden made an investigation.

### Unlighted Wagon

Bearden reported that Mr. Strong was enroute to Texarkana and as he attempted to pass a truck on the highway the car crashed into the wagon. Mr. Strong told the deputy sheriff that the wagon was not lighted.  
Mr. Strong's automobile was badly damaged. The wagon was also damaged. Mr. Strong was not injured. The accident occurred near Sheppard.  
Two other accidents of little consequence occurred in the Sheppard community Saturday night. A heavy fog which made driving hazardous was blamed in both cases.

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## The Family Doctor

Chronic Typhoid Carriers May Be Cured by  
Removal of Gallbladder

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN  
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of  
Hygiene, the Health Magazine.

Some common terms used in discussing the spread of diseases are not well understood by many people. Two such terms, for instance, are the words "contagious" and "infectious."

A contagious disease is one that is caught and usually implies spread by direct or personal contact, since the word "contagious" comes from a word meaning "to touch."

An infectious disease usually is one that is not carried directly, but indirectly through some hidden influence. The distinction is really an artificial one, and actually there is no difference.

Many infectious diseases are contagious and vice versa. A better term for them is "communicable disease," which refers to a disease that can be passed from one person or one animal to another.

The carrier, as has already been mentioned, is frequently a medium of communication. About 33 per cent of people who have typhoid fever continue to discharge the germs for three weeks after the beginning of the disease, and 11 per cent continue to discharge the germs for eight to 10 weeks. From 2 to 4 per cent, however, may continue to pass off germs permanently. These people are known as chronic typhoid carriers.

For some reason, women outnumber men as carriers of typhoid, which is probably due to the fact that women are more subject to inflammation of the gallbladder than are men, and that typhoid germs tend to localize and stay in the gallbladder.

The most notorious typhoid carrier is a woman known as "Typhoid Mary." She was a cook in a family for three years, and in 1901 she developed typhoid fever, following a visit to the family by someone who had the disease. A month later the laundress in this family became ill with typhoid fever.

In 1902, Mary left her job for a new place, and two weeks after she arrived the laundress in that family had typhoid fever. A week later another

person became ill and soon seven members of the household were stricken with typhoid.

In 1904 Mary secured a job in a Long Island home in which were a family of four, and seven servants. About three weeks after she arrived, four of the servants developed typhoid fever.

In 1906 she secured another job, and six of the 11 members of that family developed typhoid. Two weeks after beginning her next job, a laundress was stricken with typhoid.

In 1907 she entered a home in New York city, and two cases developed, one of which proved fatal. In five years "Typhoid Mary" caused 26 cases of typhoid fever, so, in March 1907, the New York Department of Health locked her up. Not much was heard of her again until 1914, when she escaped from observation and secured a job as a cook in a hospital for women in New York City.

Two months later an outbreak of typhoid fever occurred in that hospital, affecting principally doctors and nurses. Twenty-five cases in all developed. Today she is maintained at state expense in a private place in New York, where her activities as a cook at least are under control.

There are innumerable similar cases now available in medical literature, which prove definitely that a person who is infected chronically with typhoid germs must exercise extreme care in handling food and liquids for other people.

Attempts have been made to control this type of typhoid carrying by operating on the gallbladder. In many such cases, the chronic typhoid carrier may be cured of his condition by removal of the gallbladder, which is done with a fair degree of safety in most cases.

The health department of Massachusetts estimates that there are probably 1100 carriers in that state alone. This indicates how many thousands there must be in the whole United States.

## Your Children

By Olive Roberts Barton

Too Emotional Book Is Bad for Child

How to keep the developing reader from delving too deeply into books that are not beneficial? Olive Roberts Barton, NEA Service child training expert, tackles this serious problem in the second of her series of three articles on what books are best for children.

When we get past the early books, written for children of six and under, we find the stream branching. Where as the former were usually amusing and full of the unconscious humor of animals and nursery characters, here we are confronting life with stories about all sorts of folk with every kind of experience.

I can't say why we suddenly drop the comedy motive, unless it might be that parents themselves think it high time for Georgia to stop being a nitwit and a moron, and their way of thinking, and concentrate on the seriousness of life.

We must overlook the fact that children take fiction very seriously. There are many who take it entirely too seriously. And, if this surprises you, ask a children's librarian in a big city about girls asking for "sad" books, "a book to make you cry, if you please." It had to be stopped. The very child who asked for the "weeper" never got it, for the simple reason that she could not be engaged in morbid emotions.

Child's Needs Guide Choice  
The way to select the books of a little boy or girl, if you are attempting to supervise reading, is to know the child himself. If he needs to be soothed and made heedful of suffering, then sad books or tragic ones won't damage him any. Not the sentimentally morbid one, though. There is a difference. If your girl is sensitive and inclined to enjoy her tears, watch what books she glooms over.

Girls of our generation, surviving "Elsie" and her kind, but it was an age of fainting mothers, anyway. When I think of the general diet of sentimental reading that was put into our heels, I wonder that any of us were

normal. However, libraries began to drop the sickly, unhealthy stuff and go in for normalcy. Now, "Elsie" won't hurt anybody. But when she keeps too much suffering company we must call a halt.

When "Little Eva" died, and "Uncle Tom" had no home, I had to be removed bodily from the show. Likewise when Joe Jefferson as "Rip" limped back in tatters and even the new "Schneider" didn't know him, I nearly stopped the performance. "East Lynne" was no better. These were shows, but they were books, too. So I include the too-sad movie also when I suggest limiting the emotional supply.

A Little of Everything  
I cried quarts over "Tom," the immortal water baby, and Hans Anderson with his poor little match sellers and disillusioned fir trees didn't pick me up one bit. I learned to love Kingsley and Anderson, and long ago forgave the others for the hours of affixing they caused me. On the other hand, I could read old Grimm to a fair-you-well. The monsters were gory and cruel, but pooh, you know that the meemies deserved it. Red Riding Hood, too, was told with moans and terrifying gestures to us kids. We liked it and shivered delightedly.

Don't accent the sad or even the too realistic book, if your child can't take it, or is feeding his morbid soul on it, either one. A good mixture of everything is best. Include comedy, poetry, fiction in variety, adventure, thrills, informative tales, character stories and all. But don't let an obsession creep in that feeds on selective appetite.

Next: Adolescents' reading matter.

Jones: "Why did you call that fellow Horo?" I thought his name was Horowitz.  
Brown: "It was, but he lived in a tough neighborhood and they scared the witz out of him."

## A Book a Day

By Bruce Catton

Enlightening "A-B-C" of Spanish Situation

If the news from Spain leaves you with an irritated, what's-it-all-about feeling, you can hardly do better than to read "Behind the Spanish Barri-cades," by John Langdon-Davies (McBride: \$2.75).

Mr. Langdon-Davies, an English journalist, makes no secret of his sympathies; he is all for the loyalists. But he tells his story so clearly—and, for all his admitted bias, so fairly—that it strikes me as the best available hand-book on the Spanish tragedy.

To begin with, he recalls a little plain history. The Spanish government of last summer, he points out, was a lawful government, legally put into office by popular vote.

It did not, at the time the rebellion began, contain one Communist; on the contrary, it was a mild left-of-center regime which was trying to reform the army and get the peasant out from under the great landowners.

The revolt was organized and launched by readers of those groups, with the help of what Mr. Langdon-Davies calls the Fascist international. Its pressure turned a liberal government into a radical one; but to this day the government is not dominated by Communists.

On this foundation of explanation, Mr. Langdon-Davies tells what he saw in western Spain. He insists that the great mass of the Spanish people is solidly behind the government, and that the "neutrality" program of the great democracies is playing right into the rebels' hands.

And he presents a graphic story of heroism and terror, of devotion and cruelty, which should do much to make the news dispatches from that unhappy land more intelligible to you.

## Murderer Loses Button, Dies for It

10-Year-Search for Button Ends in "Chair"—Police Found Button

BELEFONTE, Pa.—(AP)—Robert Dremer, 40, railroad worker, who walked many miles in a 10-year search for a button he lost at the scene of a murder, walked to the electric chair Monday. Someone else found the button.

With a cigar in his mouth and trying to appear nonchalant, Dremer stumbled up the winding stairs of the death house over the week-end after a long motor ride to prison, insisting:

"I'm game—I haven't given up hope." But they shaved his head and changed his clothes, and left him alone. There are no others in the death house, Sunday a guard came up a half-hour after Sunday midnight.

Dremer's arrival at Rockview penitentiary began the final chapter in one of Pennsylvania's most unusual murder cases. In 1927, pretty Thelma Young, 17, was found slain in a field near her home in Washington, Pa. A large brown button was found in the grass near her body.

Late last year another girl was attacked in an open lot. This time police had reasons for suspecting Dremer. He was "about Dremer's build," the girl told them. He was arrested. Inquiry brought out that Dremer had a large brown coat.

The almost forgotten button was brought out on a "hunch." Then it was found Dremer wore a large brown overcoat about the time the young girl was attacked and slain. Dremer was shown the button. He collapsed.

Detectives said he confessed. At his trial he repudiated the statement, but he was convicted.

Witnesses said Dremer returned many times, walking miles to the scene of the crime. He seemed to be hunting for something. It was the button, state's attorney contended.

## HOLLYWOOD

By Paul Harrison

HOLLYWOOD.—The favorite role in Hollywood these days is being a spectator at Santa Anita race track. Every day, rain or shine, finds hundreds of filmlets tramping one another between the clubhouse terrace and the betting windows below.

Most of the really big shots own boxes, but never sit in them. Boxes are used only for parking one's binoculars, fur robes, and indigent visiting aunts. It's much more fun to circulate in the crowd and hold whispered conferences with toils and other horse gentry.

Nobody ever starts for the betting windows without having his mind changed three or four times en route. Every tip is a sure thing, after every race, there is always someone to say smugly: "See, I told you so!"

Many followers of the gee-gees grow melancholy and like to magnify their losses and bask in the commiseration of their fellow suckers. But in Hollywood it's the fashion always to win. When one of your race losses and you're wondering whether you'll have enough to tip the clubhouse steward, you are supposed to exclaim: "Well, that's too bad. But I'm still four or five hundred bucks to the good."

One way to Win  
One veteran studio executive, who incidentally is rich, almost invariably holds a ticket on the winning horse. There's a sample of someone who works and despairs of all race followers because the finish of every event found him clutching a \$10 pasteboard and cheering the winner.

But there has to be a reason for such success, and the tip-off in this case came with the discovery that the man bets on almost every entry in every race. Thus he gets the thrill of being able to cash a ticket, even though he has wagered more than he can win.

As the ponies continue to go round and around, and the track reports its best business in its three-year history, countless stories of good luck and bad

## Something Else to Begin Thinking About



## So They Say

The British nation has no desire to spend money upon armaments; yet it can show as stubborn determination as any other nation in re-equipment.—Anthony Eden, Britain's foreign secretary.

Americans are becoming too civilized—too much like the effete Europeans.—Dr. James Marshall, noted Australian minister and naturalist.

Not only has he robbed Germany of her freedom, but he is now robbing Spain of hers.—Ernest Toller, German playwright, attacking Hitler.

Pleas regret this invitation. I will be too busy.—President Roosevelt's joking instruction to aide, after receiving formal invitation to his inauguration.

Advertising is the voice of business. Not to advertise is just plain dumb. Fortunately, business men have generally learned this.—Edward A. Filene, Boston merchant.

You can't get people to do something by fighting; you have to love them into it.—Eugene Talmadge, ex-governor of Georgia.

The tide is at the flood now for the nation's legionnaires, and we are entitled to occupy a major position in the nation.—Harry W. Colmery, national commander, American Legion.

The fascinating woman of 1937 will try harder to avoid being beautiful than she ever before tried to be pretty. A large mouth, high cheek bones, unashamed laugh wrinkles, and a blunt turned-up nose are marks of modern beauty.—Cecil Beaton, English photographic artist.

Certainly Mother Goose is old . . .

but children love her . . . imagination Mabel E. Simpson, New York educator.

Old Mother Hubbard live on.—Miss Can you imagine the flapper wear-

## Inflation Spragged by Reserve Board

Compulsory Reserve for Deposits Ordered Increased One-Third

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The Federal Reserve Board over the week-end ordered about \$1,500,000,000 of idle bank funds "locked up" to check a potential inflationary expansion of credit. The board announced a 33 1/3 per cent increase in required reserves—the funds which must be held as backing for bank deposits. This is the maximum increase permitted by the law. The action meant that \$1,500,000,000 of excess funds must be added to the mandatory reserves and thus cannot be used as the basis for credit inflation.

The effect of the order was to "freeze" the greater portion of the existing excess reserves, which total \$1,150,000,000.

One-half of the 33 1/3 per cent increase will become effective March 1, the remaining half on May 1.

The board said that existing excess reserves "are superfluous for the present or prospective needs of commerce, industry and agriculture." It said they "would result in an injurious expansion if permitted to become the basis of a multiple expansion of bank credit."

Economists estimated that each \$1 of idle reserves will support about \$8 of credit.

The board said that roughly \$500,000,000 of excess reserves would remain after the increased requirements are fully effective and asserted this was "an ample amount to finance further recovery and to maintain easy money conditions."

ing woolies?—The Rev. Alice P. Aldrich, of Chicago woman's court, who contends return on women's woolen underclothes signifies national upswing in morals.

We find that a big corporation gets blamed for being big. But it is only big because it gives service. If it doesn't give service, it grows small faster than it grows big.—William S. DuSaud, executive vice president, General Motors Corporation.

Australians hate strikes, because of their destructiveness and because, like war, they hurt women and children most.—Dr. James Marshall, noted Australian minister and naturalist.

We French are supposed to be a

hard, practical race, but we are sentimental beneath all that. C. Boyer, stage and screen actor.

Lean to Left

NEW YORK.—Five of the nine leaders on the Brooklyn Dodgers roster throw left-handed, and eight that way.

## ARE YOU NERVOUS?

Mrs. J. L. Phipps of 501 N. Washington St., Dallas, Texas, writes: "After an illness I felt nervous and I used only two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as a tonic. I was soon eating more food and feeling just fine." Buy of your druggist. New size, tablets 50c, bottle \$1.00. Consult Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N.Y., by letter, without charge.

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# Society

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Thirty days hath September, April, June, and November; All the rest have thirty-one. Excepting February alone, Which hath but twenty-nine, Till leap year gives it twenty-nine.—Selected

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne England and Mrs. Philip Foster were Monday visitors in Little Rock, where Mr. England is on the program of the State Convention of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

The many friends of Mrs. S. H. Simpson will be glad to know that she is doing nicely from a recent appendicitis operation in Julia Chestnut hospital.

The regular monthly social and business meeting of the Althean class of the First Baptist Sunday school has been postponed from Tuesday night February 2, to Tuesday night February 9.

Master George Edward Cannon of Foreman is spending a few days in the home of Misses Marie and Nannie Purkins.

The Bay View Reading club will meet at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Steve Carrigan, Jr. Mrs. Fred R. Harrison will lead the study, which will continue on "Arkansas."

Mrs. R. P. May and daughter, Marilyn and Mrs. K. G. McRae were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meek in Bradley.

The P. T. A. Study Group will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon in the council room at the city hall.

The Pat Cleburne chapter, U. D. C. will hold an executive board meeting at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. C. S. Lowthorp.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. McCloughan have as Monday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and Miss Ethelene Peak of Texarkana.

The Hope Dramatic club will meet Monday evening at 7:30 in the council room of the city hall. All who are interested are urged to be present.

Miss Rosa Harrie left Thursday afternoon.

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## Slain Mother's Baby Is Saved



Dying of bullet wounds alleged to have been inflicted by her estranged husband, Mrs. Elsie Randall, 19, above, of San Francisco, was rushed to a hospital, where surgeons delivered her of a seven-pound baby boy by means of a Caesarian operation a few minutes before her death. The baby was pronounced normal and healthy. The father, arrested, denied the shooting.

## CLUB NOTES

**Bingen**  
The Bingen Home Demonstration club met at the community canteen kitchen Tuesday, January 26, with 12 members and two visitors present. After the appointment of Miss Alice

## Gales, Blizzards Take West Coast

All Schools Suspended Monday in Portland, Ore.—Ships Warned

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—(A)—Gales whipped another winter storm down the Pacific coast Monday, striking Portland, Ore., with a terrific blizzard and piling snow deeper on the already-choked highways.

All schools were closed in Portland. The Weather Bureau warned ships from the Canadian border to San Francisco, and predicted storm conditions for most of the Far West by Monday night.

## Flood Laps At

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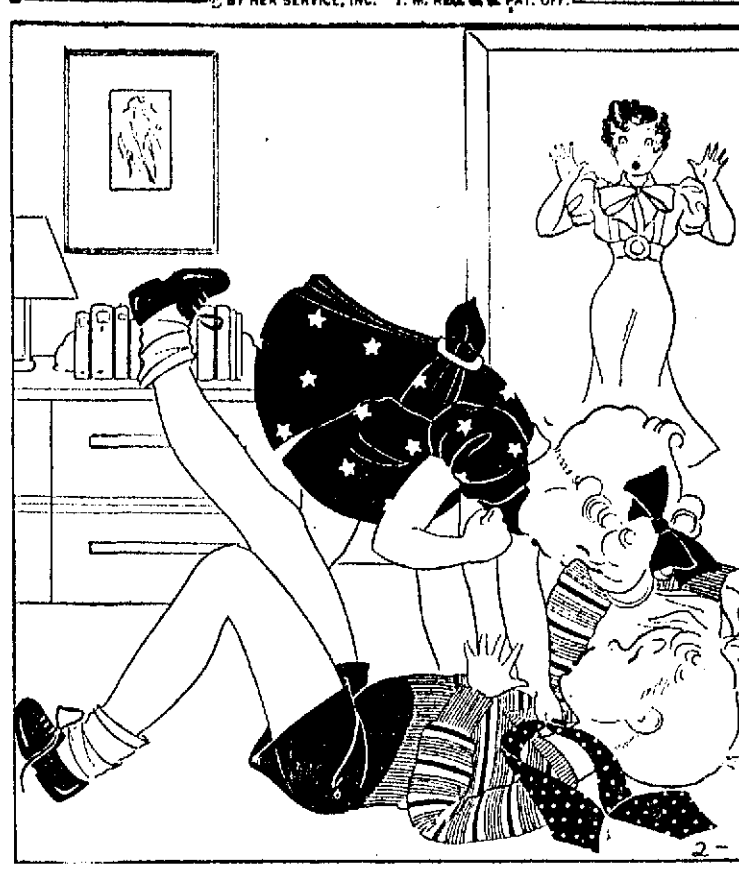
No. 150, which still is open. "The engineers tell us they will hold the water out," he said. "In case of any emergency, we do not wish to be hampered by the necessity of caring for women and children."

"Highway 150 is the only means of egress from the city, save by boat. In case this road were closed, evacuation might require men to leave the levees at a time when the flood fight demanded every bit of attention."

W. E. Barron, the Weather Bureau's veteran observer here, still held to his prediction of a 60 to 61-foot crest, but said the crisis for the city may not be reached until Thursday. Originally, upstream conditions had led him to expect the peak flood Wednesday.

Anderson for taxation leader, Miss Rouse gave an interesting demonstration on hooked mats. The club then sang several songs and played games. Everyone seemed to enjoy the meeting. We will meet at the canteen kitchen the fourth Tuesday in February.

## FLAPPER FANNY.



"I AM a lady, doggone it! NOW will you take it back?"

any and the demonstration will be basket weaving.

Thursday morning January 28, Jack Anderson, assistant county agent and Miss Rouse, assistant home demonstration agent, came to Guernsey school and organized the 4-H club for the coming year.

The following new officers were elected: Francis Jarvis, president;

## Nevada Oil Field Resumes Drilling

Cessation of Rain Is Followed by Quick Repair of Highways

PRESCOTT, Ark.—Three days' sunshine brought a renewal of activities in the Nevada county oil fields, where work had ceased practically for nearly three weeks. Bridges washed away by swollen streams have been replaced, roads are being dragged and traffic into and from the fields is again possible.

Benedum & Trees Oil Company's C. C. Fincher No. 2, located in the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 10-14-20, in which casing was set in the Nacatoch sand at a depth of 1,200 feet more than 15 days ago and stands within 200 feet of the derrick floor. It is estimated by the owners that this well will be good for 500 barrels of oil a day on the pump.

In their Lilly Block No. 1 in the northeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 9-14-20, Benedum & Trees Oil Company is having a fishing job with 2,000 feet of drill stem in the hole. This test continues "tight" and mystery surroundings operations. As soon as the fishing job is completed the drilling will continue. Spectators say the drill stem was dropped 1,700 feet and efforts to dislodge and remove it have been unsuccessful.

Charley Steele and Bryan Warmack have poured cement for foundation for their pump at their William Haynie No. 1 located in the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter section 6-14-20, in the Irma or Waterloo field, and expect to begin pumping this week. This test was drilled in two weeks ago and fluid stands 900 feet in the casing. Their pits have been completed to care for production.

C. B. & F. Petroleum Company's William Haynie No. 1 on the John R. Lewis lease in the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 5-14-20, which blew in early last month and ran wild 48 hours, was turned on a few hours Saturday and flowed oil practically free of water at the rate of 200 barrels a day. It was feared this well was ruined so far as the Nacatoch sand was concerned and conservation agents recommended casing off of that sand and either drilling the hole to the Togio sand at 2,200 feet or abandoning the test and skidding the derrick for another. Clyde Cox, president of the company, believes with a little nursing the well will be a good producer at its present depth. This test extends the Waterloo field a half-mile east and is just two miles west of Benedum & Trees' discovery well.

With the cessation of rains, the laying of eight-inch pipe line by Berry Asphalt Company from its plants at Waterloo to the new field for the transportation of production from the Benedum & Trees wells was resumed. This line will be five miles long and is being laid by Dewey T. Ross Engineering Co. of Tyler, Texas. Pumps on all producers in the new field remained idle last week because all pit and storage tanks were full. It is doubtful if any more oil will be hauled on account of the soft roads and the expected early completion of the pipe line.

In the wildcat territory, Axel Larson, Trustee's James T. Wortham No. 1, three miles northwest of production in the Waterloo field, located in the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 26-12-21, was drilling at a depth of 1,900 feet. While operators are giving out no information, it is reported that oil in paying quantities was not found at the Nacatoch sand. Robert S. Holmes has charge of operations and expects to announce location for another test on his acreage in this territory near Rosston, the old county seat, within a few days.

First Wrestler: "Quit it, you're bitin' me shoulder."  
Second Wrestler: "Shut up, before I like a notion ter sweller yer."

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## Mrs. I. J. Percell Dies, Columbus rd.

Funeral Service Held at 3 p. m. Monday at Shover Springs Cemetery

Mrs. I. J. Percell, 68, died Sunday night at her home, four miles northeast of Hope on the Columbus road. Funeral and burial services were to be held at 3 p. m. Monday at Shover Springs cemetery.

## Homesteads Nearly

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studied. The survey has covered 3,151 school districts and parts of districts out of approximately 3,500 such units. For purposes of the survey districts lying in two counties have been treated as two units.

Total assessed value of all property in the territory affected is \$374,277,000, out of a state total of approximately \$412,000,000.

The average valuation of the 160,796 homesteads studied is \$413.65 and the homesteads average 44.4 acres. They included a total of 7,569,886 acres, or about 22 1/2 per cent of the land area of the state.

The report indicated that if the limit of the exemption were raised to \$250, such homesteads would include 17.85 per cent of the total state property valuation.

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## Mothers!

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# THE SPORTS PAGE

## Emmet Girls Win From Union, 25-15

Victory Enables Emmet to Even Series With Union High School

Playing before one of the largest crowds of the season, the Emmet senior girls' basketball team Saturday night defeated Union High of near El Dorado, 25 to 15.

The victory for Emmet evened the series between the two schools. Union beat the Emmet team at Union about the middle of January, breaking the consecutive string of victories for Emmet that had reached to 15.

Union's defeat at Emmet was the second set-back for the squad this season.

Wells, forward of Emmet, took individual scoring honors by dropping 16 points into the basket.

Spectators saw an improved defensive team in the Emmet cagers, which thwarted scoring efforts of the Union team.

Senior Girls	
Emmet (25)	Union (15)
Chambless (5)	Carr (8)
Forward	
Crank (4)	Gammill (4)
Forward	
Wells (16)	Graves (3)
Forward	
Mohon	Wood
Guard	
Crumbly	J. McCullough
Guard	
Jones	L. McCullough
Guard	
Senior Boys	
Emmet (18)	Laneburg (16)
Paul (1)	Steed (3)
Forward	
J. Wesson (9)	Otwell (7)
Forward	
E. Wesson (4)	Miller (6)
Center	
Dickerson (2)	L. Calhoun
Guard	
Jones	T. Calhoun
Guard	

Substitutes: Emmet—Malone, Ward (2); Laneburg—Barksdale.

Laneburg Juniors defeated Emmet Juniors 23 to 15. Clyde Messer, Laneburg forward and Green, Laneburg center were high point men with 8 points each. Mahon was high for Emmet with 6 points.

**HARRY GRAYSON**

NEW YORK—A letdown in track and field might be expected following an Olympic year, but the reverse is the case.

Several things contribute to increased interest and the current indoor season is feeling the effects of the team-up.

Also-runs seek revenge. For every complacent victor, content to rest on his laurels, there are at least two disgruntled combatants eager to get even.

Many Olympians are getting along in years. They can't hope to be present in Tokyo in 1940. They intend to gather medals and marks while the gathering is good.

With the next big show nearly four years away, there is no fear of stalemate.

Gene Venzke finished nowhere in Berlin after sweeping the boards last winter. He desires to show his admirers that he can take Gloon Cunningham's measure indoors. Cunningham lost to Jack Lovelock, so he can get some consolation by breaking indoor records.

Ed O'Brien of Syracuse, who got shut out in the Randall's Island try-outs at 400 meters, wants to convince the customers that last winter's splurge wasn't a flash in the pan.

Varoff Seeks Revenge

George Varoff has to his credit the two best pole vaults of 1936, but saw the best stream of gold to Germany without him, hence his eagerness to turn the tables on Earl Meadows, the Olympic champion, and to beat Suero Ohe, the Japanese who tied for second place abroad.

Indications are that the Wanmaker Mile of the Millrose Games at the Garden, February 6, will be worthy of its dramatic past.

Kiklas Szabo, Hungarian champion and holder of the 2000-meter record, gives the event an international flavor.

Charley Genske, Wisconsin's 411 mile, is entered. He is the most promising of the young American milers next to Archie San Romani, and has given the Kansan spirited competition on western cinders. He has the solid foundation of cross-country running to build on.

Venzke, Cunningham, and San Romani are expected to enter the Wanmaker Mile, thus providing a five-star field second to none in the history of the famous event.

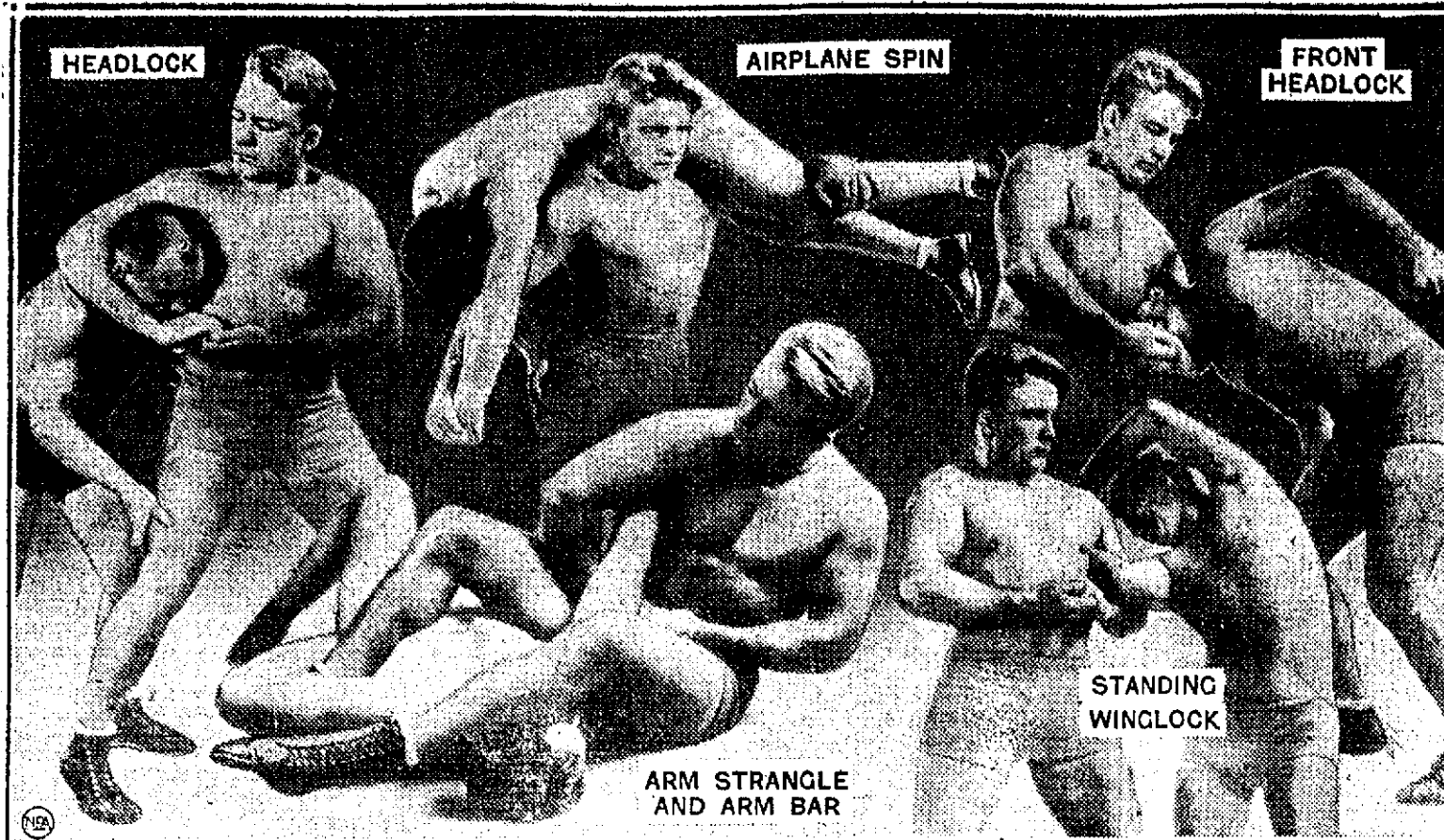
It is regrettable that Joe Mangano, the 1936 winner, has retired from racing, but already it appears that Joe's 411 time will be bettered. Inasmuch as the Wanmaker Mile always raises the curtain on the Garden season it may be asking too much of the boys to have them break Cunningham's indoor mark of 4:08.4, but the possibility exists.

Lash Threatens Record

If a record is broken in the Millrose meet it is more likely to be made in the two-mile race, where Don Lash may be extended by Ray Sears, who has begged this Millrose number for the last two seasons. Sears has done 9:57.4 in the Garden, as against Pavlo Nurni's 9:58.2. Lash thus has an opportunity to erase both the native American and indoor two-mile records.

Lash has never won a Garden race.

## More Hammers and Locks Than a Hardware Store



## Razrobacks Meet Texas in 2 Games

Cage Contests to Be Played at Austin Friday and Saturday

By the Associated Press

The Texas Aggies moved up a notch and the Horned Frogs of Texas Christian moved back one in the Southwest Conference basketball play last week while the Baylor Bears' two games left them just where they were in the standings.

Baylor lost a 21-to-19 decision to the Aggies at College Station, then defeated T. C. U. by the same score to balance the percentages in the conference's only games during a dull week. The idle Southern Methodists clung to their league lead with the Aggies second and Baylor, Arkansas and Rice tied for third.

The Methodists' get action again Tuesday night when they meet the Bears at Dallas. The always dangerous Razrobacks will meet the Longhorns at Austin Friday and Saturday nights.

Another Saturday night game pits Texas A. & M. against T. C. U. at Fort Worth. The Aggies are highly favored over the Frogs who have managed to win only one out of four starts this season.

"I am a woman of few words," announced the haughty mistress to the new maid. "If I beckon with my finger, that means come."

"Suits me, mum," replied the girl. "I'm a woman of few words myself. If I shake my head, that means I ain't comin'."

while Sears is an old hand at the boards. But Lash in the Brooklyn K. of C. meet demonstrated that he now is ready for big things. He is advised to rate his pace carefully, however, because Sears can sprint the last three laps.

Only last month, Szabo beat Iso-Hollo, Finland's Olympic champion at 3000 meters, on an indoor track in Berlin. It was believed that he had lowered Nurni's record until the track was found to be short. Szabo isn't likely to prove the flop that Erik Ny of Sweden turned out to be three years ago. Ny primarily was an 800-meter man. Szabo has trained for 2000 and 3000 meters.

New York, the cockpit of indoor track enthusiasm, eagerly awaits the sound of spikes drumming against boards.

Swaps Laterals for Dribble



Kent Ryan, Utah State's great griddle, is equally as proficient on the basketball court as he is on striped sod. The Aggie luminary, All-Rocky Mountain Conference forward, and mentioned on many All-America grid selections last season, is captain of the team that recently invaded New York. He's shown here dribbling.

## Champion Marshall Restores Sport of Grappling to the Muscleheads

Like Other Grappling Rulers, Big Colorado Pinner Is a Specialist—Full Nelson Considered Deadliest Hold in Mat Business

By HARRY GRAYSON

Sports Editor, NEA Service

They called gentlemanly Earl Caddock the man of a thousand holds. Farmer Burns maintained that there were 2500 wrestling holds.

But Everett Marshall, who has won wider recognition as heavyweight champion than any other pretender, didn't climb to the top with any of the new and freak holds which have had so much publicity in recent years.

Marshall took the full-Nelson, one of the oldest holds in wrestling—one that every kid learns in the school yard—and simply developed it into a great state of perfection as it is today.

The blond Coloradoan didn't do it by accident or with ease. He spent more than five years tugging and pulling away on a dummy.

The upper half of the dummy is built of wood to resemble the torso of a man. The legs are replaced by stirrups. Marshall plants his feet in the stirrups, hooks his arms under those of the dummy, and bears down on its spring-hinged head. He's done it hour after hour until his wrists and forearms are developed to a larger extent than the biceps of the vast majority of athletes in the most wearing of grinds.

Wrestling's Deadliest Hold

A) Haft, the Columbus promoter who has handled John Pesek, Jim Brown, Dick Shikat, and Jim McMillen, calls the full-Nelson as used by Marshall the deadliest hold in wrestling history. The Hard Rock of the Rockies perhaps has injured and battered more opponents severely than any other ear massager of more recent vintage. It is getting so that promoters are careful to get good referees when Marshall is working for fear that the man working with him will be badly hurt.

Marshall is a grappler of the old school. He gets a bit peeved when folks talk of flying tangles, airplane spins, and other showmanship holds which have come into prominence of late.

Earnest Everett has restored wrestling to the wrestlers—taken the leadership of it at least out of the hands of acrobats and buffoons. With Marshall on the program, clowning and tumbling is restricted to the preliminaries. He breaks the line of Sonnenbergs, O'Mahonys, and Ali Babas, and promises to start a new one such

as the one of polished workmen which ran from Tom Jenkins to Ed Strangler Lewis.

Marshall also boils when anyone suggests that his profession is made up of showmanship more than actual wrestling.

"Check up and you'll find that some 26 wrestlers died last year as the result of injuries received on the mat," says earnest Everett. "You wouldn't fake a funeral."

Grappling Greats Specialize

Every wrestling leader has a favorite hold with which he wins most of his matches. Frank Gotch prevailed with a toe-hold. The Humboldt Farmer developed it to a point where it worked psychologically. Whenever he applied it, the other fellow feared a broken leg.

Caddock's best bet was a head scissors and wristlock. Joe Stecher squeezed rivals into submission with his own holds. Frank Gotch prevailed with a toe-hold. The Humboldt Farmer developed it to a point where it worked psychologically. Whenever he applied it, the other fellow feared a broken leg.

But his old minor league boss, Bert Niehoff, shakes his head.

"He won't get tough," says Bert, who tried to get him that way when he managed him on the Chattanooga club of the Southern association. "He's just not built that way."

Travis' passive personality and retiring, overly considerate manner worried Niehoff no little.

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# Modern Belle

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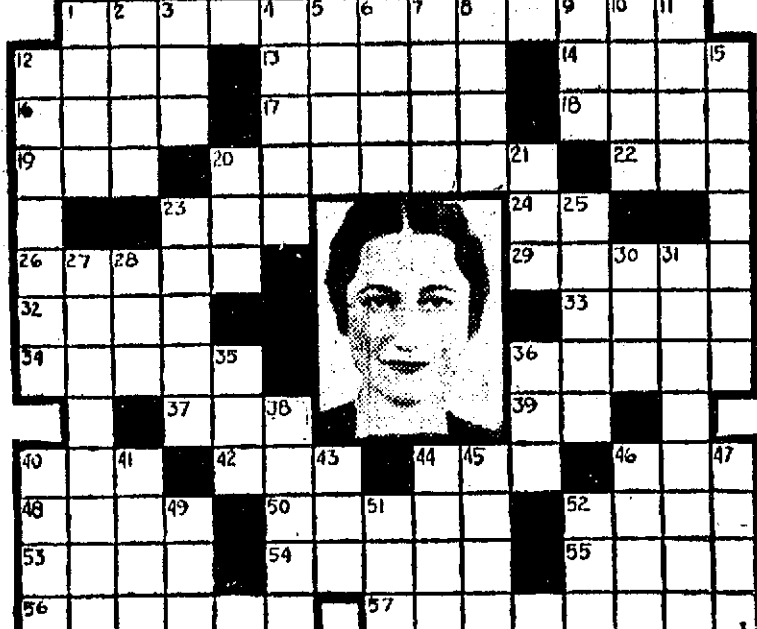
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 33 Bench.  
 34 Stair post.  
 36 To ignore.  
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**STORIES IN STAMPS**

By I. S. Klein

**CITY SIFTED AND REBUILT.**

EL MOUMEN was attacking the city of Marrakesh, now Morocco City, seat of the Sultanate of Morocco. It was 1146, and for more than a year El Moumen threw his strength against the city walls, vowing he would not quit until he had "sifted the city through a sieve."

Marrakesh fell at last and El Moumen set himself up as sultan. To forestall all opposition, he strangled the young son of the former ruler, destroyed the palace, the mosques, and all other signs of the former sovereign. And, to fulfill his vow, he crushed some of the houses to powder.

Then he rebuilt the city. Dominating the landscape today is the tower of the great mosque of Koutoubia, which El Moumen erected. Later, El Moumen's grandson, El Mansur, the conqueror, "brought the bells and doors of the Cathedral of Seville and set them into this mosque. The bells he melted down, for Arabs never use them, and he decorated the tower with jasper and alabaster.

This tower is illustrated on a stamp of French Morocco issued in 1917.

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A Chicago business man who commutes each week out to his farm in the Mid-South has been impressed by the wit of country folks. Not long ago one of his negro retainers entrusted him with a small sum of money. With it he was to buy a quart of gin, and bring it back. He fulfilled his mission but, not seeing the old man at the station, he gave the bottle to one of the negro's nephews to deliver.

When he met the old man, the Chicagoan explained that he had given the gin to the nephew. The old negro was crucified.

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FAW! ME JUMPY? EGAD, MY IRON NERVES NEVER WERE IN BETTER FETTLE - UM-M-KAFF-KAFF-F-F-SURELY, YOU DON'T THINK

NO, I'D BETTER NOT TELL HER OF MY FEARS OF GANG-LAND REVENGE, BECAUSE OF MY CAPTURE OF 'REDDY-THE-FOX' A HOOPLE NEVER SHOWS THE WHITE FEATHER!

THE OLD COVER UP

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

YOU SAY HIS REAL NAME IS SILAS CULPEPPER, EH? HE WAS A NICE BOY

YES! HAVE YOU NOTICED BOOTS AND BABE SINCE WE'VE BEEN HOME? THEY'RE A SCREAM! THEY WON'T ADMIT IT, BUT I THINK THEY BOTH WERE GROWING QUITE FOND OF HIM

SO WHO'S GOT MARRIED!! WELL, THAT'S THE WAY IT GOES! YOU'LL JUST HAVE TO GET USED TO THAT SORT OF THING

## ALLEY OOP

OH, DAD - IM SO GLAD YOU'RE SAFE AT FIRST I THOUGHT THAT -

YEH, YOU THOUGHT THEM LOP-EARED THUGS HAD DONE ME IN - BUT I'M MIGHTY GLAD YOU YOUNGSTERS GOT BACK HERE WHEN YOU DID -

HM - YOU SURE DID BANG UP THESE MUGS!

I THINK THEY ARE SOME OF KING WUR'S MEN -

I DON'T KNOW - BUT WHOEVER THEY ARE, TH' TWO OF 'EM THAT GOT AWAY WILL BE BACK, AN' SON, THEY'LL BRING PLENTY OF HELP WITH 'EM!

## WASH TUBBS

HMM! NICE CHANCE FOR YOU TO MAKE A LITTLE WAGER, BOW WOW, AND RECOUP YOUR LOSSES.

NO THANKS, COLONEL. THE BOY LACKS EXPERIENCE.

OH, C'MON, BE A SPORT. SAY, ONLY A HUNDRED DOLLARS.

BETTER SNAP IT UP, DOC. AHM BIGGER! CARNERA AN' TWICE EZ GOOD.

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

THERE MUST BE SOME MISTAKE ABOUT THIS, PUNK! I WAS LED TO BELIEVE I WAS THE ONE WHO HAD A DATE WITH TONI TONIGHT! MY NAME IS WENTWORTH!!

SO WHAT?

I JUST FINISHED CHASING A KID NAMED SID WICKLEY, AND I GUESS I CAN TAKE CARE OF YOU!

I GUESS YOU DON'T KNOW WHO I AM, DO YOU?

I'M FRECK M'GOOSEY... RIGHT BACK AND BLOCK-ING BACK ON THE CHAMPIONSHIP SHADY-SIDE FOOTBALL TEAM! WHAT DOES THAT MAKE YOU?

## MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

EVENTS HAVE MOVED SWIFTLY SINCE MYRA ENTERED THE SERVICE OF THE EC-CENTRIC LADY AINSLEY, AS NURSE AND COMPANION. FIRST, THE APPEARANCE OF THE MYSTERIOUS BRUNO - THEN, THE FORETOLD COMING OF ANDREW BRADFORD, AND HIS DESPERATE DEMANDS FOR MONEY - AND FINALLY THE COLLAPSE OF LADY AINSLEY, HERSELF IN FRONT OF THE OLD CLOCK WHICH CONCEALS HER FORTUNE.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO HER, NURSE? I WONDER WHERE SHE LEFT HER WILL.

AREN'T YOU ASSUMING TOO MUCH, MR. BRADFORD? YOUR AUNT ISN'T QUITE THAT FAR GONE, THOUGH HER SYSTEM HAS RECEIVED A TERRIFIC SHOCK!

AND THEN, VERY SLOWLY, LADY AINSLEY OPENS HER EYES.

THEY? COME FOR WHO? WHAT IS IT, LADY AINSLEY?

HAVEN'T THEY COME FOR HIM, YET?

## OUT OUR WAY By WILLIAMS

WHUT TH' HECK! COMIN' IN TH' HOUSE WITH SKIS ON, AND UPSTAIRS, TOO! OF ALL TH' -

TH' BABY FELL ASLEEP IN TH' SLED - GOSH, IT'S NO USE TAKIN' 'EM OFF, JUS TO PUT HIM IN BED.

HEROES ARE MADE - NOT BORN.

## Boots Isn't Sore, But

HE AT LEAST FOUND A GIRL WHO'D HAVE HIM - AND THAT'S MORE THAN YOU CAN SAY

HEH HEH! YOU OUGHTTA BE ASHAMED OF YOURSELF! YOU JUST DROVE HIM TO IT, POOR CUSS! HE PROBABLY FIGGERED IT WAS TH' ONLY WAY TO GET RID OF YOU

THAT'S ANOTHER POINT FOR HIS SIDE! ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS JUST BE WHERE I CAN SEE YOU

## Hot Dogs!

HEH, IT LOOKS AS IF WE'RE IN FOR A LITTLE EXCITEMENT!

WELL, FOREWARNED IS FOREARMED!

IF I'M NOT MISTAKEN, WE'RE IN FOR MORE THAN JUST A LITTLE

THAT OL' RASCAL WAS TOUGH, BUT WE COULDA LICKED HIM IF WE'D A STUCK AROUND.

LISTEN, YOU - WE GOTTA TAKE THAT OL' BIRD ALIVE - I KNOW WHAT I'M DOIN' - WAITLL OL' WUR GETS A LOAD OF THIS - YOU'LL SEE!

MEANWHILE - THE TWO THUGS WHO GOT AWAY

## Ooola's Dad Sees Trouble

THAT'S A FACT. AH AIN'T EZ HEAVY ON MAH FEET EZ AH LOOK.

FEET! HOLY SMOKE! LOOKIT THE SIZE OF THEM.

HEY, COLONEL! I'VE CHANGED MY MIND, I'LL BET \$500 ON HIM!

## Two Champs

I'M DEKE WENTWORTH... LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION OF ELMWOOD MILITARY ACADEMY! AND WHAT DOES THAT MAKE YOU?

READY TO FINISH ANYTHING YOU WANNA START!

## By BLOSSER

THE POLICE! MY NEPHEW - HE HAS RUINED THOUSANDS OF INNOCENT FAMILIES WITH HIS WORTH-LESS INVESTMENT SCHEMES... HE...

SHE'S DELIRIOUS!

## By THOMPSON AND COLL



## Home Improvement Drive for County

Miss Bullington Heads Better Homes' Campaign for Year 1937

Miss Melva Bullington has been appointed by the National Office of Better Homes in America at Purdue University to serve as chairman of the Hempstead county committee for the purpose of planning for 1937 Better Homes Campaign. Better Homes in America, incorporated in 1922, annually sponsors a nation-wide program for the improvement of housing conditions and home and community life. National Better Homes Week in 1937 will be observed from April 25 to May 1.

Better Homes Chairmen of Home Demonstration Clubs of Hempstead county are:

Centerville, Mrs. Kenneth Jones; Allen, Miss Eve Samuel; Rocky Mount, Mrs. H. H. Higginson; McCaskill, Mrs. R. G. Shuffield; Hopewell, Mrs. Ardell Clark, Jr.; Oak Grove, Mrs. S. B. Skinner; Patmos, Mrs. A. N. Rider; Hinton, Mrs. Berlin Simmons; Belton, Mrs. J. L. Eley; Blevins, Mrs. Roy Foster; Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. E. H. Myrick; Washington, Mrs. W. E. Elmore; Melrose, Mrs. Alfred Zimmerman; McNab, Mrs. T. C. Lee; Columbus, Mrs. Horace Ellen; Ozan-St. Paul, Mrs. Floyd Matthews; Engen, Miss Nell Leslie; Bright Star, Mrs. C. E. Boyce; Shover Springs, Mrs. Howard Collier; Green Lasefer, Mrs. Riley Lewallen.

Better Homes in America is a non-commercial, educational agency formed to help American families make their homes and communities better places in which to live. Its program is adapted to local needs by the thousands of committees established in cities, towns and villages throughout the country. Annually the Better Homes Campaign is sponsored by civic organizations, women's clubs, men's clubs, churches and in some communities by schools and colleges as a part of their educational program. For fifteen years this organization has acted as a coordinating agency to correlate the activities of civic and educational organizations interested in the improvement of housing conditions and home and community life.

In 1936 more than 4,500 chairmen, in as many communities, directed Better Homes Campaigns throughout the United States. Three thousand houses, selected for their excellence of architecture, good planning, equipment and reasonable cost were featured as a part of the program and visited by 145,000 people. Through the concentration of attention on the improvement of door-yards nearly 400,000 families planted trees, shrubbery, developed gardens or cleaned up unsightly rubbish piles; some 300,000 families modernized their kitchens, dining-rooms, bedrooms, plumbing systems and repaired roofs and painted their houses. More than 3,000 communities carried on clean-up campaigns and beautified nearly 9,000 miles of highways; nearly 2,000 communities developed community playgrounds. In addition, there were programs and discussions on home furnishings, financing home ownership, landscaping and architecture.

At the conclusion of the campaign, committee reports are submitted to the National Office of Better Homes in America and a committee makes a series of awards based upon the work accomplished. Certificates of awards are presented to the committees making outstanding reports. In 1936, sixty-one awards made, including eight Special Merit Awards and four Highest Merit Awards.

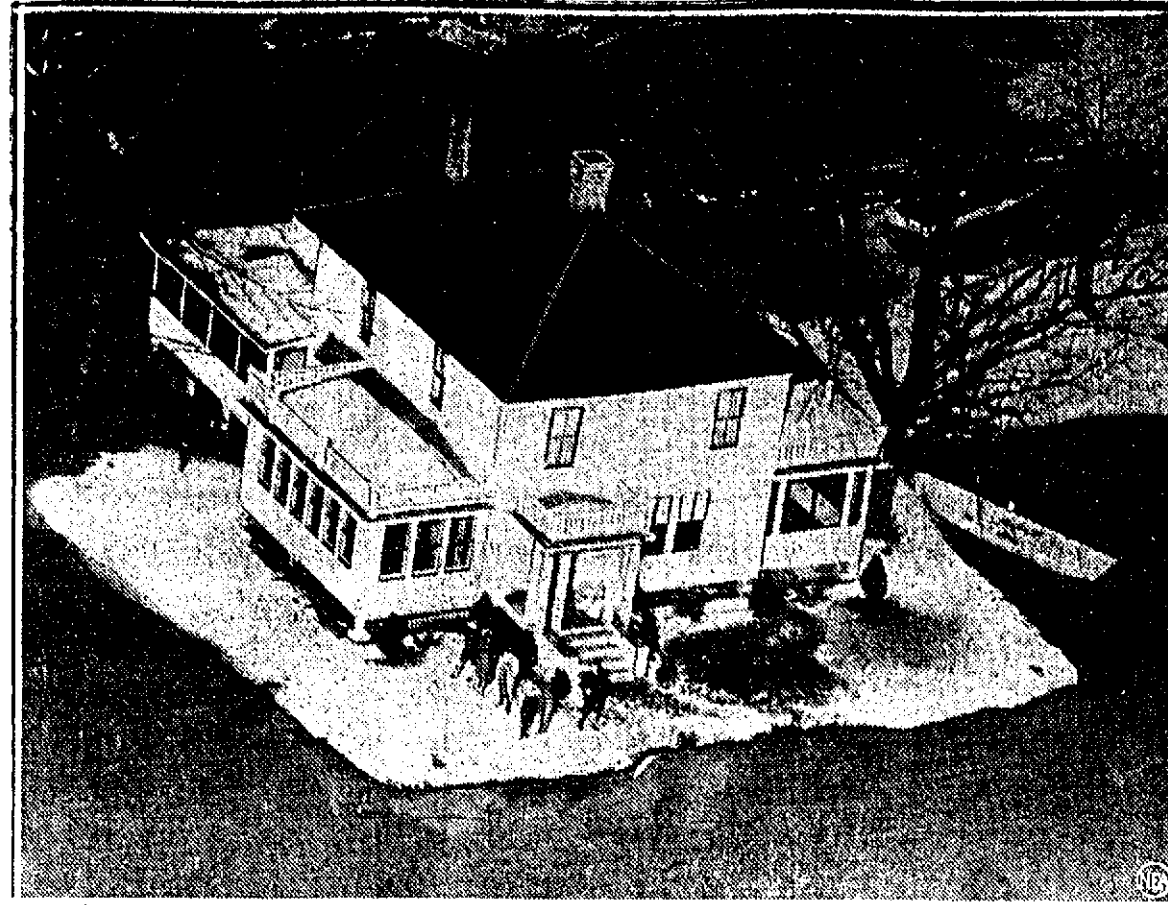
The fine quality and extensiveness of the Better Homes Campaigns in Arkansas won for the 1936 State Committee a Special Merit Award. From the standpoint of popular, practical education in home improvement, these programs and demonstrations were among the best in the country.

Quality  
"Three hairnets, please."  
"What strength?"  
"Two dances and a car ride."

## Flood Brings Unsettled Conditions to Resettlement Project



Transplanted from impoverished farms to the utopian Federal Agricultural Resettlement project at Dyess, Ark., colonists found the acres reclaimed from the forest inundated by the St. Francis River like less favored regions. In this air view the elaborate white buildings contrast starkly with the muddy waters and the little island of sodden earth.



Most colonists at Dyess, Ark., farm resettlement project fled when the St. Francis River flooded their new homes. The few hardy souls who defied the overflow are seen in this air view clustered about the porch of one of the buildings on higher ground. A boat for flight in extreme emergency is conveniently moored at right.

## Queen Is Problem at the Coronation

Bachelor Regalia Abandoned as British Alter Seremonial Plans

By GODFREY ANDERSON  
Associated Press Correspondent

LONDON. — (AP) — After 10 months' preparation for the crowning of a bachelor king, harassed coronation officials have had hurriedly to revise their plans as a result of Edward's abdication.

One set of regalia, one throne, one crown, are no longer enough. There is a queen to be crowned, too.

The queen's crown, with its family Koh-i-noor diamond, the queen's throne, the queen's regalia must be prepared for Queen Elizabeth.

Must Find More Seats

Architects who designed a bachelor king's robing room—already partly erected at the west door of Westminster Abbey—are bending over their plans again. Somewhere a queen's robing room must be fitted in.

The Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal, has a host of fresh problems. Somehow he has to allot seats in the already crowded Abbey to Queen Elizabeth's family, the Strathmores and to her friends.

Historic Precedent

Crowning of the queen is expected to follow historic precedent.

On the same altar steps where Queen Mary knelt at the side of King George the Fifth a quarter of a century ago, a commoner queen will kneel at her husband's side to be crowned and anointed.

The dean of Westminster will hand the archbishop of Canterbury the holy oil in the anointing spoon and the archbishop will anoint the queen upon the head. A queen is anointed upon the head only, but the king is anointed on the head, breast and the palms of each hand.

Archbishop Gives Ring

While the queen is anointed she is supported by her two bishops and a magnificent golden pall is held over her head by four ladies-in-waiting.

The archbishop then places on the fourth finger of her right hand, the queen's ring, encrusted with jewels, saying as he does so:

"Receive this ring, the seal of a sincere faith; and God to whom belongeth all power and dignity, prosper you in this your honor, and grant you therein long to continue fearing Him always and always doing such things as shall please Him, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

At the concluding words of this prayer all the peeresses in the Abbey will raise their arms and place their coronets upon their heads.

Bows to King

The archbishop will then hand the queen her sceptre in the right hand and the ivory rod—surmounted by a dove—in the left.

As the queen returns to her place on the throne, supported by the bishops and her ladies-in-waiting and trainbearers, she makes deep obeisance to the king as she passes him. Later they kneel side by side again as the communion service marks the closing stages of the ceremony.

to learn that his young son had been discussing surrealism.

The small boys of a Pauls Valley, Okla., couple are named Tomtilitis and Meningitis, which seems fitting, as many small boys are plagued.

"Franco Still Hammering at Gates of Madrid." The civilians apparently share America's aversion to "Knock, Knock."

"Picked Blond" means a mahogany finish. "Also a man's, if his wife catches him with one."

Actor Leslie Howard says he enjoys having a good book to fall back on. It's nice, too, to have a best seller to lean against.

With the other nations beginning to be involved down in Morocco, it began to appear that the Spaniards up in Madrid might get their own war back.

## New Senators' Wives Face Hard Campaign Among Social Elect

By NEA Service

WASHINGTON—Pity the wives of the 15 newly-elected senators who are making their debuts on Capitol Hill this winter. Official society offers such a multitude of pitfalls for the undoing of a newcomer.

No matter how solid her social standing is back home, the wife of the new senator must ever be on guard against doing the wrong thing. She is terribly conscious of her responsibility.



The Senate bride, Mrs. Claude Pepper, newlywed wife of Florida's senator, has had the good fortune to be taken under Mrs. William Borah's wing.

for making the right contact to enhance her husband's prestige. Envied at home, in Washington she is out-ranked on every hand, unnoticed except for her small circle of intimates. Nearly everything in Capital society is done differently than elsewhere.

So those new Senate wives will have to learn a lot of new tricks, even those like Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., who has enviable social recognition throughout the east.

Getting Acquainted

Anywhere else women hurry to call on wives of the judiciary, on times they carry a little hamper with fried chicken or molasses cookies, just in case the newcomer's stove hasn't been connected yet. So they are amazed to find that in Washington, newcomers are expected to call first.

They call at the White House, they call on the wives of the Speaker of the House, on the wives of foreign diplomats. Then they order another hundred engraved cards and call on the wives of all the senators who outrank them.

It is not unusual for a dutiful lady of the Senate to make fifteen calls in one afternoon. Only on days at home or when they are especially invited to tea do the callers expect to see their hostess. And should they fail to turn down a corner the Washington code dictates must be turned down, their house of calling cards will come tumbling to the ground.

A few fledgling Senate wives are content to make a favorable impression on the wives of senior senators. Their only handicap is that the intricacies of Senate politics are as puzzling to them as a poem in Sanskrit. Which senator wives may be to be cultivated and which ones may be passed by with a nod, is a problem which completely baffles them. Usually they play safe by being exclusively nice to everyone they meet, at the beginning.

Lucky Mrs. Pepper

Mrs. Claude Pepper, bride of the new Senator from Florida, had more luck than most. She met and was tucked under the wing of kindly Mrs. William Borah, wife of the dean of the Senate. Mrs. Borah has the distinction, for a senator's wife, of having been on the guest list for the diplomatic reception at the White House and for Evelyn Walsh McLean's \$50,000 New Year's Eve Ball. These parties opened the season for local and official society.



Among the women confronted with the double socio-political problems of life in Washington are these novices of the capital scene, wives of newly-elected Senators. At top, left to right, are Mrs. Ernest Lundeen of Minnesota, Mrs. H. H. Schwartz of Wyoming, Mrs. Joshua Lee of Oklahoma, Mrs. Clyde Herring of Iowa, Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge III, of Massachusetts; below: Mrs. Allen Ellender of Louisiana, Mrs. Edward C. Johnson of Colorado, Mrs. James H. Hughes of Delaware and Mrs. Guy M. Gillette of Iowa.

The distraught Mrs. Pepper confessed to Mrs. Borah that she didn't "know a soul." She was horrified at the older woman's suggestion that she

attend a party at the swank Sulgrave Club, where Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins was receiving that afternoon, and then look in on Mrs. Farley's "at home" later.

"But I haven't been invited," she protested. She was told that none of the other women she would see there had been invited either. Mrs. Borah suggested that Mrs. Pepper might be

happier if she took along Mrs. Andrews, wife of the other senator from Florida. But that wasn't much help because the wife of the new senator didn't know the wife of her husband's colleague.

Housing Is Big Problem

The first thing the new Senate wives do is look around for a good Washington address. Some of them take houses in Georgetown. But only the initiated know that whole one street in Georgetown may be very exclusive, the one at right angles to it may be equally bad. Many newcomers take the easy way out by leasing a house-keeping suite in one of the expensive hotels. But to keep within their rental budget, the discouraged couple must sacrifice spaciousness for a good address. They get around this by engaging rooms at a club or a smart hotel for entertaining on a grand scale.

Many weary wives of new lawmakers give up trying to fight their way alone, give up the new hat and frock they had promised themselves, and hire a social secretary. Mrs. Mm. Laird (Bessie) Dunlop, Jr., and Helen Ray Hagner top the list. They will arrange a "knock 'em dead" supper dance, with two orchestras, a buffet supper, champagne punch and caviar for any number of guests the hostess specifies. Or young women who know the ropes can be engaged at less expense, for a part of each day, or for a special occasion.

With or without assistance, the wife of a new Senator is hopelessly confused. One and all they take their social duties with pathetic seriousness.

BARBS

The youngster punished for his wall-paper murals apparently is destined to be another Diego Rivera.

Workmen seem to have a new version: "Early to bed, early to sit down, make a man healthy, etc."

Surrealists termed their art "Dada." It was no surprise to the proud father

## How Flood Area Cares for Its Refugees Following Weary Footsteps of Mother, Child, Two of Thousands

### Today's Picture Story



Confused, a little bewildered, this Arkansas mother and her child, flood refugees, get into line before a relief station in Memphis, Tenn.



At the first window mother and baby are tagged. Names aren't important, but first record it. Each step is checked and recorded so that any doctor or Red Cross worker can glance at the tag and tell when these cases, Nos. 984 and 985, were received in Memphis, their condition and the care accorded.



Inoculation comes next and that first frightening flash of pain brings awail from the baby. Tears course down his cheeks for a minute and then it's all over. Typhoid anti-toxin is necessary, an epidemic is threatening. There are many ill with flu and other ailments just as serious.



Ah, the tears are gone. The baby finds the strings which hold the tag around its neck about the most interesting bits of twine he has seen in many a day. More interested in the blanket she is receiving from the relief worker's gloved hands is the child's utterly weary mother. She hasn't known rest for days.



Bed at last. There's half a grip from the baby and even the mother shows her relaxed relief. It's warm and dry. They're safe—and sleepy.